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SUBJECT: 63RD SESSION OF ECOSOC: FULL PLO MEMBERSHIP IN THE ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR WESTERN ASIA (ECWA)

REF: STATE 148786

1. POLCOUNS DISCUSSED SUBJECT WITH MFA POLITICAL DEPARTMENT HEAD AMBASSADOR STEINER JUNE 28, REGISTERING POINTS CONTAINED PARA 4 REFTEL. STEINER INDICATED HIS DEPARTMENT WAS ALREADY SEIZED WITH ISSUE AND WHILE INSTRUCTIONS FOR GOA DELEGATION TO ECOSOC MEETING HAVE NOT YET BEEN DRAFTED, POLITICAL DEPARTMENT HAS RECOMMENDED THAT GOA OPPOSE FULL MEMBERSHIP FOR PLO IN ECWA. STEINER WAS OPTIMISTIC THAT STRONG LOCAL AND POLITICAL ARUGMENTS FOR OPPOSING PLO MEMBERSHIP WOULD BE ENDORSED BY FONMIN AND AGREED THAT U.S. AND AUSTRIAN DELEGATIONS AT GENEVA SHOULD CONSULT ON TACTICS AND OBJECTIVES IN DEALING WITH ISSUE.

2. COMMENT: GOA LIKELY TO OPPOSE FULL PLO MEMBERSHIP IN ECWA, UNLESS MFA POSITION AS NOW BEING DEVELOPED, IS OVERTURNED BY FONMIN OR CHANCELLOR ON BASIS OF CHANCELLOR'S KNOWN SYMPATHY FOR CAUSE OF MORE CONFIDENTIAL

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MODERAGE ELEMENTS IN PLO. IF SUCH OCCURS, GOA WOULD THEN PROBABLY ABSTAIN ON VOTE. MEEHAN

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